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CHESTER, S. C., FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 18, 1906

**Chester's
Best Sale**

To Begin Wednesday, June 23

**Chester's
Best Sale**

Summer Clearance Sale

Our Sales need no introduction to the Chester public we do what we advertise.
Our entire stock of Dry Goods, Notions and Shoes will be offered for ten days at prices that cannot fail to meeting the trading public.

Our Motto is fresh goods each season hence we make it a rule to carry over no goods from season to season.

Dry Goods Specials

10 yards beautiful fig. Lawn 29c
30 yards unbleached
Homespun \$1.00
14 yards 10c
Sea Island \$1
10c English
Long Cloth 5c
15c English
Long Cloth 10c
36 inch
Pajama Cloth 9c
15c Shirting
Madras 9c
10c Plaid
Waistings 5c
15c 36 in. Cur-
tain Lawn 10c

Dress Goods and Silk.

1 lot 38 in Voile worth
50c this sale 25c
1 lot blk Voile, Batiste
this sale 85c
1 lot 46 in col Skirtings
reg price 75c this sale 49c
1 pc 44 in Cream Mo-
hair 60c value this sale 42c
1 lot Shantung Silks in
Navy, Brown and
Cream reg price 75c
this sale 25c
1 pc 36 in guaranteed
Taffeta reg price 1.00
this sale 79c
1 pc 36 in blk Peau de
Sole reg price 1.00 this
sale 79c
Special Prices on all color-
ed Silks.

Wash Goods

10 yds nice Fig Lawn 29c
Only 10 yds to a customer
1 lot colored Lawn
worth 8c this sale 5c

1 big lot 10 and 12 1-2c
Fig Lawn this sale 8c
1 big lot 15 and 10c Fig
Lawn and Batiste this
sale 10c
1 big lot Gingham, Ma-
dras and Linen worth
12 1-2c this sale 9c

White Goods and Linen

1 lot sheer plaid Waist-
ings worth 10c this sale 5c
1 lot sheer plaid Waist-
ings worth 15c this sale 10c
1 lot 44 in French
Lawn worth 20c and 25c
great values, this sale 12 1-2c
1 lot 46 in Mercerized
Batiste reg 50c value
this sale 35c

Linen and Towel

1 lot huck towels 4c
1 lot part linen huck
towels 8c
This is not the largest but
the best towel ever offered
in Chester for the money.

1 lot extra large huck
towels worth 20c this
sale 12c

1 pc 72 in all linen 1-2
bleach table damask
this sale 45c
1 lot 72 in all linen
bleached table damask
reg 75c value this
sale 49c

1 lot 72 in all linen
damask reg 1.00 value
this sale 69c
1 pc 36 in linen Waist-
ing worth 75c this sale 45c
1 pc 90 in linen sheet-
ing worth 1.00 this sale 79c
1 pc 90 in linen sheet-
ing worth 1.25 this sale 89c

Gents Furnishing

25c gauze shirts 22c
50c gauze shirts 42c
50c elastic seam draw-
ers 35c
1 lot 50c shirts 25c
100 shirts this sale 69c

Great Values in Shoe Dep't

Children's and men's ox-
fords ranging in prices
from 75c to 2.50 this sale
49c to 1.59
1 lot ladies oxfords 1.50
value this sale 98c
1 lot ladies oxfords reg 2.00
to 2.50 this sale 1.69
1 lot ladies oxfords reg 3.50
this sale 2.69
1 lot mens 3.50 oxfords
this sale 2.69
1 lot mens 4.00 oxfords
this sale 3.49

Domestics

1 lot 10 and 12 1-2c ticking
this sale 8c
1 lot 20c feather ticking this
sale 12 1-2c
1 lot 25c feather ticking this
sale 17 1-2c
1 lot 9 4 unbleached sheeting
25c value this sale 21c
1 lot 9 4 bleached sheeting this
sale 22 1-2c
1 lot 10 4 bleached sheeting
worth 30c this sale 24c
1 lot 36 in English long cloth
worth 10c this sale 8c
1 lot 40 in long cloth reg 15c
this sale 10c

Notion Specials

10c Buttermilk Soap 5c
Lot 10c Gauze Vests 5c
Colgates
25c Talcum 15c.
Gilt Edge
Shoe Polish 15c
Baby Elite
Shoe Polish 8c.
50c
Matting Rugs
35c
25c Wash Belts 10c
Ladies 15c
Gauze Vests 8c
5c Val. Lace 1c
10c Val. Lace 5c
20c and 25c
Embroidery 10c.
50c
Embroidery Bands 25c

THE STATE PRESS IS WANTED HERE

WILL BE INVITED TO HOLD
NEXT SESSION HERE

Believed that Chester Can Secure
the Meeting of State
Press Association in 1910

At the meeting of the State Press
Association in Greenville on the 6th
of July an invitation will be extended
to this body to hold its meeting next
year, 1910 in Chester. The invitation
will be extended by The Chester Re-
porter and The Chester Lantern and
also by the Commercial Club in behalf
of the city. It is probable also that
the city government will urge the
Association to attend.

This city can well entertain the
members of the association. There
are usually about 50 or 75 in the party
and the hotels here can well take care
of this number. The big pavilion can
be had for the meetings and head-
quarters can be made at the Commer-
cial Club.

It is probable if the invitation is ac-
cepted that the party will be given a
trip up the C. & N. W. road into the
mountains. The meeting would prob-
ably commence here on Tuesday and
adjourn about Wednesday night. The
trip up the C. & N. W. would be made
on Thursday and the rest of the ses-
sion of the convention completed in
the mountains. It is the intention
to take the party through to Blowing
Rock and show them all the scenery
and grandeur of the region. Return-
ing the party could leave Edgemont
on Monday morning and return here
that evening and catch the outgoing
train to their homes in different
parts of the state.

Such a meeting would be a great
thing for Chester. It would adver-
tise the city far and wide and would
make it well known all over South
Carolina and bring it to the front as
nothing else could. It is believed
that there is a good chance to secure
the meeting for this city although
Spartanburg and Clemson College are
also bidding for the meeting next
year. The entertaining for the mem-
bers of the association would be in the
hands of the local newspaper men
together with a committee of the
city and citizens. There is very little

expense attached to this meeting for
the town to bear and it is believed
that everybody in Chester would like
to have them here for next year. A
strong effort to bring them here will
be made by the local newspaper men
when they attend the meeting in
Greenville this year.

Critics and the Remo- val

A great opportunity is coming to
us, of Chester, to show our hospitality
and the advantages and attractions of
our city, at the coming reunion. Peo-
ple will be here from every city, town
and county of the state. Let us see
to it that we give ourselves a good
name and make the state ring with
our praises.

In order to do this all must go to
work; let every body throw them-
selves into the spirit of the occasion
and see that every thing is done for
the pleasure of our visitors, within
our power. They are the guests of
the city, and we have the good
name of our city we should do our
very best for them.

Then we should make our city an
example of cleanliness, as cleanliness
means healthfulness. Therefore we
would beg of our merchants to
keep their "display cases" of all the papers
and rubbish on their premises. And
for the front streets, beg at least an
additional two to our "street brigade"
as our one faithful cleaner will not
be enough for the occasion.

The ladies we could call upon to
make our residence portions attractive
by trim and well kept grounds and
well decorated homes. Our
ward committees of the Civic
Federation, should look around to see
that all is done that can be done for
the beauty and healthfulness of their
wards. Encourage the decoration of
the homes, as well as the business
portions of the city, and show our
love for the veterans and our city by
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Sometimes you may be told that
there are other things just as good as
good as Dr. W. H. Kidney and Bladder
Pills. That isn't so. Nothing made as
good as Dr. W. H. Kidney and Bladder
Pills for all ailments of the kidney
and bladder. It always results in
weak back, backache, rheumatic pains,
neuritis and urinary disorders. A
trial of Dr. W. H. Kidney and Bladder
Pills is sufficient to convince you how
good it is. See genuine name of Dr.
W. H. & Co., Chicago, for a free
trial box. They are sold here by the
standard druggist.

DR. MOFFATT WITHDREW RESIG- NATION.

Did not Resign at Meeting of Board of
Trustees in Greenwood.

A meeting of the board of trustees
of Erskine college was held in Green-
wood on Tuesday evening. Dr. J. S.
Moffatt had previously offered his resig-
nation as president of Erskine col-
lege but withdrew it before the meet-
ing of the board on Tuesday. His
salary was increased as was that of all
the professors of the college. Among
other things the degree of LL. D. was
conferred on the Hon. J. P. Caldwell,
editor of the Charlotte Observer.
The board held only a short session
and the members returned to their
homes to the afternoon. Mr. T. H.
White, of this city, is a member of the
board and attended the meeting in
Greenwood on Tuesday.

Among the other members of the
board which passed through this city
and from Greenwood at the meet-
ing were: Col. T. L. Kirkpatrick, of
Charlotte, Rev. W. Y. Love, of Char-
lotte, and Congressman D. E. Finley,
of Yorkville.

Dr. Phillips Expected Soon.

The Rev. Dr. G. Phillips, formerly of
Newberry, who was recently extended
a call by the local A. B. P. church and
which call he accepted, is expected to
arrive in the city the first of next
week and will take up his pastorate at
once. The pastoral relations between
him and Newberry have been dis-
solved and it is probable that a called
meeting of the first presbytery will be
held shortly to install him as pastor
of the church here. Dr. Phillips is a
pleasant speaker and a man of great
force. He is universally beloved in
Newberry and has many friends in this
city and all of the people of that city
regret his leaving. He will be cordi-
ally received here by every resident of
this city.

Death at Fort Lawn.

Oliver, the three year old son of Mr.
and Mrs. R. L. Edwards died last
Friday at the home of his parents at
Fort Lawn, after an illness of two
weeks. The funeral services took
place at Fort Lawn on Saturday after-
noon, the services being conducted by
the Rev. J. E. Yarbrough and the
remains laid to rest in the cemetery
there. The bereaved parents have
the sympathy of the entire commu-
nity in their great loss.

Springfield Man Commits Suicide.

Springfield, June 10.—Near the hour
or to clock this morning, Moss L.
Douglas, a white farmer living about
three miles east of the town, delib-
erately shot the front and top of his face
and head off.

Mr. Douglas was about 35 years old.
He had a wife and three children, the
eldest being about 9 years old. Mr.
Douglas was the eldest son of Mr.
Joseph J. Douglas and had lived
here most of his life. Up to two or
three years ago he seemed to prosper,
but the last two disastrous years ap-
peared to wipe out the surplus that he
had so carefully guarded for his
advancing years. Nothing was known
here of any trouble until a phone mes-
sage announced the awful tragedy.

It has been learned from his family
that for several weeks Mr. Douglas
has been very despondent and, for the
past few days, quite unwell. He
bought a bottle of laudanum here a
day or two ago and that he wanted it
for a sick mule. It now appears that
he drank a part of it yesterday and it
falling to kill him, he took with a
determination to complete his deed.

Selecting a time when his wife was
attending to his stock, he took his
gun and going into the yard, lay down
upon the ground, placing the muzzle
under his chin, when he pressed the
trigger with his toe, shooting away his
entire face and the top of his head.
This act was deliberately planned
and shown by a short note addressed to
"Magistrate O. B. of this place, mak-
ing him to collect an account due
him by a citizen of this community."
He also left the following note:

"To Whom It May Concern:
"If I should be suddenly taken off,
ask that Martin Snow take my wife,
A. W. Corbett take Eva May, I
hope my wife will fare better without
me than she can with me. My health
is gone and I do not wish to be a bur-
den to any one. I can not collect the
claim I have on another and I can
not pay my debts. Everything I have
in under papers except my bags, cows,
and household goods. I have some
money but it could be used to pay some
of my small debts.

M. L. Douglas.

June 9, 1906.
Mr. Douglas was considered a per-
fectly reliable man, and his unex-
pected death is a great shock to his family
and friends. He killed his trouble

to magnify, as he was backed by a
strong financial concern of this town,
who state that he was in no imme-
diate financial difficulties, and could
get anything he wanted. His wife is
in a dangerously delicate position.
She was Miss Ella Caughman of this
county.

True Bill Against Darby.

Lexington, June 15.—A surprise was
sprung here yesterday when the grand
jury brought in a true bill to the case
of John G. Darby, charged with as-
sault with intent to ravish. The case
had been set for trial tomorrow. This
bills held for the most sensational
trial held here in recent years. Mr.
Darby is the chief of police of the town
of Halesburg and bears an excel-
lent reputation there. It is said, The
woman in the case is a widow, and the
mother of a young man, who is now
out on bond for his appearance at the
state and federal courts. The grand
jury returned a true bill
against him also for housebreaking
and larceny. It is thought that the
case will consume two days, as there
are a number of witnesses on each
side. Mr. Darby will be defended by
Messrs. E. R. Dyer, of Lexington,
and Col. E. W. Spoth, of Batesburg.
Solicitor Timmerman will be assist-
ed in the prosecution by Mr. E. L. As-
sell, of Leesville, and E. S. Senator
Sharpe, of this city. It will be one
of the hardest fought legal battles ever
here.—News and Courier.

Libson, June 12.—A cartridge fac-
tory at El Dorado was destroyed by an
explosion today. Five persons were
killed and seventeen dangerously
wounded. The disaster is attributed
to the carelessness of an employee of
the factory.

Could Not Be Better

No one has ever made a salve, oint-
ment, lotion or balm to compare with
Buckley's Arnica Salve. It is the one
perfect healer of cuts, corns, burns,
scalds, sore throat, hemorrhoids, rheu-
matism, salt rheum. For sore eyes use
it.

Advice to a Bachelor Editor.

Our friend, Editor Connors, of the
Lancaster News, has been calling our
attention lately to the various editors
marrying and holds out some such
advice for us. The list is interesting
and since some of them have suc-
ceeded we have again taken heart and
have some hopes of following in their
footsteps. If, after fifteen or twenty
more years in the business, we can
become as adept at twisting the truth
and hoodwinking the fair as they
have been. The following notices
along this line appeared recently in
the Lancaster News:

"Another editor has wisely joined
the ranks of the bachelors. On last
Wednesday evening Mr. Roland F.
Beasley, the bright editor of the Mon-
rovia Journal, was married to Mrs. Is-
abelle Fitzwater, of Monroe. There's
still a fighting chance for Bachelor
Editors of the Chester Lantern.

An Alabama man has at last suc-
ceeded in getting married after hav-
ing proposed to two hundred women.
His experience ought to afford some
encouragement to the bachelor who
graciously holds down the Chester
Lantern's editorial chair.

But even though we are so sadly be-
hind in this matter we understand
that another bachelor editor not far
away will soon join the ranks of the
beneficiaries. And we are interested
in getting now our advice to this selfsame
editor will work, before trying to
plunge ourselves—Chester Lantern.
But why await the result of that
other bachelor editor's matrimonial
venture? His orange blossom ex-
perience may for one reason or another,
prove a blooming failure. Remember-
ing that "fairer heart never won
fair lady," plunge right to yourself and
make the best of it. You'll never de-
velop half the good that's in you until
you have two months to feed instead
of one. But we wouldn't advise you
to pay any attention to the advertise-
ment of that Chicago woman who is
offering \$20 for a husband. It would
take more than that sum to keep her
big feet covered with leather slip-
pers. Try a home product. Che-
ster's is not in it when it comes to ris-
ing miles, logs, vegetables, etc., but
it's a fact, and women daughters will
entirely favorably with those of any
city in the state, except Lancaster.
Lancaster News.

Says System is Rotten.

St. Louis, June 10.—After eighteen
months' service as a United States
meat inspector in St. Louis
packing houses, J. F. Harms has re-
signed, he says, writing a letter to
Secretary of Agriculture James Wil-
son, demanding an investigation of
the meat inspection system at the Na-
tional Stock Yards.

Harms asserts that he resigned be-
cause he could not tolerate conditions
and that inspectors in charge of the
bureau of animal industry were too
lenient with the packers. Harms in
his letter says:
"The inspection at the National
Stock Yards, Illinois, is costing the
people approximately \$400,000 a year,
and it is not actually doing them
them. For when the word is passed
from the inspector in charge to the
inspectors actually doing the work on
the floor, the packers are getting too
many condemned animals and to
change the grading, it means that the
whole thing is a farce. Mr. Secretary,
the packers are getting today from 70
to 80 per cent of what ought to be
condemned and destroyed."

"I have seen from 1,200 to 1,500
pounds of last spill and left in the
door, the sewer outlet quickly blocked
and said hard taken up from the floor
and out of the sewer, both of which
were under the floor, and your
doctors passed same to the packers
over the protest of the inspector on
that floor and it went to the public
market as fit to eat and passed."

"Some of the dirtiest things imag-
inable are practiced in the sausage de-
partments, such as using bladders for
casings without thoroughly washing or
cleaning, the use of filthy trip in
sausage, the use of slimy bag stom-
achs for casing or containers, the using
of meat that has fallen on the floor
and are taken up and used without
any pretense of cleaning."
"These all are permitted by those
in charge. If an inspector calls their
attention to any of the wrong, he is
told, as I was, that the people who
eat such stuff are too lazy to prepare
anything for themselves and ought to
have such stuff."
"I will give you another incident
that happened elsewhere. The meat
inspector of the department held
some 6,000 or 7,000 pounds of car-
casses for being sour, and said you
four or five other inspectors were cal-
led in, and they all pronounced the
meat sour. Young Dr. Jones re-
served it as the present."

Chester's Great Cash Shoe Sale!

We have been notified that our Fall Goods will soon be shipped, and as our room is limited, we have decided, in order to reduce our stock, to offer for the next 30 days our entire stock at prices never before heard of on goods of this class. It will pay you to buy all the Shoes you will need for months to come, as an opportunity like this does not come often. And while we have an immense stock of all sizes and widths, we advise you to come and make your selection early.

All \$6.00 Shoes at	\$4.75	All \$1.75 Shoes at	\$1.35
All 5.00 Shoes at	3.75	All 1.50 Shoes at	1.20
All 4.00 Shoes at	3.25	All 1.25 Shoes at95
All 3.50 Shoes at	2.85	All 1.00 Shoes at80
All 3.00 Shoes at	2.30	All .75 Shoes at60
All 2.50 Shoes at	1.90	All .50 Shoes at38
All 2.00 Shoes at	1.45	All .25 Shoes at19

Remember, you have the entire stock to select from. Nothing will be held back as too good for this sale. The only condition attached is that at these reduced prices we cannot send out on approval, nor charge anything. It is a case of "MONEY TALKS" and we hope to keep up a lively conversation on the subject.

Sale Begins Friday, June 18th, 1909

STRANGE-ROBINSON SHOE COMPANY

GET YOUR

BUNTING

FOR DECORATING

Before it is all gone

AT THE BIG STORE **S. M. Jones & Comp'y**

THE LANTERN

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.
\$1.50 per year, cash.

LOCAL NEWS

Cotton today 11-16

EVERY \$1.00 customer gets a Confederate Reunion flag free at Klutz Department Store. Come right along and get your free flag.

There will be preaching at the Episcopal church, Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock by the Rev. Mr. Walsh. Subject, "Why use forms of worship?"

Mr. H. W. Halsey has returned from Hot Springs, Ark., where he went from the reunion at Memphis. His daughter, Miss Rebecca, who accompanied him, will remain at Hot Springs for a few days longer.

Miss Constance Witherspoon, of Lancaster, will be married on June 22 to Dr. John P. Young, a well-known physician of Blochberg. The bride-to-be is a daughter of the late Capt. Barthelemy Witherspoon.

Mr. F. M. Laxton, representing Gart Co. of New York, is in the city going over the filtration matter with the city engineers. Mr. Laxton is the same gentleman who was here some time since and made the proposition to the city council to remove bacteria from the city drinking water by electrolysis.

Mr. J. H. Yarbrough, of Fort Lawn, who is reported to have been very ill recently, is some better today.

The banks of the city will be closed next Thursday, the 24th, on account of the reunion.

The K. of P. will meet Monday night at 8:30 o'clock promptly. Every member should take due notice.

Mr. H. A. Tibbs, superintendent of the Southern Power Company at a Great Falls, was registered at the Carolina Inn yesterday.

Mr. H. B. Pardue, who has recently moved his stock of groceries and confections from Fort Lawn, now occupies the old stand of Mr. G. J. Starnes at 191 Gadsden street.

Deputy Sheriff Dye went to Clinton Wednesday to get Bill Gill, who escaped from the county chain gang about six weeks ago. The negro had been able to elude his pursuers successfully, but was finally located in Clinton and Deputy Dye got him at once without trouble.

Wednesday Charley Straw, a negro, who was wanted in Lancaster county for violation of a contract, was arrested by Deputy Dye. The sheriff of Lancaster was notified and came over yesterday and returned with the prisoner.

Madames D. E. Colvin and J. G. Johnston have returned from the meeting of the Eastern Star in Spartanburg. Mrs. Johnston was chosen Grand Conductress of the order.

Miss Roberts Lee Morrow, of Gaston, is visiting Miss Louise Oshler. Mr. E. H. Hardin attended a meeting of the state Board of Equilibration in Columbia yesterday.

Mrs. Agnes Bigham has gone to Morrisstown, Tenn., to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Williams.

Mrs. G. D. Davenport and children, of Newberry county, are expected to arrive this evening to spend reunion week with her sister, Mrs. Oshler.

Mr. Samuel W. Orr, who has been on a furlough and has been spending several days with his mother, Mrs. Sallie Orr, left yesterday-afternoon to join his command at Indianapolis, Ind.

Mr. Robert Fraser will leave next Thursday afternoon for New York and will sail from there for a visit to his old home in Ireland. This is Mr. Fraser's first visit home in nine years and naturally he is looking forward to it with much pleasure.

The big reunion pavilion has been completed and Mr. J. E. Hamrick said yesterday that it would be lighted up this evening and for everybody to come to come out and take a look at it. It is indeed a beauty. The refreshment privileges has been awarded to Mr. H. S. Heyman, the skating rink to Mr. L. E. Nichols and the moving picture privileges to Capt. J. F. King, of Lancaster.

FOR FULLY GLASSES go to J. T. Bigham's Optical and Stationery Store.

Dr. Hugh A. Macaulay, a prominent young physician of Waynesboro, Ga., spent Wednesday night in the city with his homelists.

Messrs. A. G. Brice, I. McD. Hood, J. L. Glenn and J. B. Westbrook were called to Lexington on Wednesday as character witnesses for Mr. J. G. Darby, who was being tried there. They returned today.

Mr. J. M. Ball has returned from a visit to relatives in Tennessee.

NORTH CORNER of Gadsden and Wylie streets—Freezers, water coolers and other articles almost given away. Come before the Reunion.

I urge all members of the Chester Chapter, U. D. C., to come to court house Tuesday afternoon, June 22, at 2 o'clock to help prepare dinner for the Veterans and to assist in serving dinner both Wednesday and Thursday.

Messrs. A. L. Gaston, W. J. Stimpson, A. M. Aiken, J. C. Robinson, David Hamilton, J. B. Westbrook and H. M. Daragh have been appointed assistant marshals for the parade during the Reunion by Chief Marshal J. W. Reed.

SEE OUR advertisement of Freezers and other articles away down. J. T. Bigham.

Hon. J. N. Miller, of Camden, Ark., who attended the meeting of the board of trustees of Brinkley College in Greenwood on Tuesday came by and spent that night in the city with his sister, Mrs. A. G. Brice, leaving next morning for his home.

A Precious Little Boy Has Gone.

On last Friday night, June 11, 1909, between the hours of ten and eleven, the dark winged messenger of death hovered over the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Edwards and claimed their little son, Villa McFadden, as his, to transplant in the heavenly kingdom. The dear little boy was only loaned to his fond parents for the short time of two years six months and twelve days to brighten their home, then taken by a loving Saviour for some wise purpose and to bring heaven nearer to their earthly home. The little darling was sick five weeks with dysentery. He bore his sufferings so quietly and so patiently. All was done for him that loving hearts could devise and loving hands perform but little Villa was wanted to join the angel band. He was too bright and pure for this earth. No weary wanderings for his little feet, no sad heartaches, no bitter tears for him only rest, sweet rest forever more.

The funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at the home by Rev. J. H. Yarbrough and the precious little body laid to rest in Fort Lawn cemetery by the side of his grandmother, Mrs. B. D. Jordan, who preceded him to the grave just eight months ago.

Sweet little Villa, how can we live here without you? Oh! we miss you so, but we must stop and think that it is God who hath bereft us. He can all our sorrows heal.

"Precious little Villa, thou hast left us Left us yes; forever more. But we hope to meet our loved one On that bright and happy shore. Lonely the home and sad the hours Since our dear one has gone. But oh! a brighter home than ours, In heaven is now his own."

Mr. Wm. A. Sanders, of Rockford, Ill., is visiting his grandfather, Mr. Jesse H. Harden, of Armetts.

Death of Mrs. Lucretia Alexander.

Mrs. Lucretia Alexander, widow of the late Solomon A. Alexander, and formerly a resident of Fort Lawn, in this county, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. L. McCulloch, at Villa Heights in Charlotte Tuesday morning, after a few days' illness from grip. The funeral services were held at the residence Tuesday afternoon by Dr. H. H. Hulien, and the remains taken to Richburg Wednesday morning for interment in Mt. Prospect graveyard.

Mrs. Alexander, who was an estimable Christian woman, leaves the following daughters: Mrs. S. L. McCulloch, of Charlotte, N. C.; Mrs. L. N. Yongue, of Chester; also one son, Mr. Joseph H. Alexander, of Goldsboro, Tenn.

Mr. Solomon A. Alexander, was a member of Co. B, Palmetto Regiment, and his friends claimed for him the honor of having been the first American soldier to scale the ramparts of the city of Mexico. Mrs. Alexander was his 77th year.

Messrs. C. E. Fant and Arthur Colvin, two substantial farmers of the Habelville neighborhood, are in the city today on business.

Want Column

Advertisements under this last twenty words or less, 20 cents; more than twenty words, 1 cent a word.

HAPPY JACK has moved opposite Campbell's Blacksmith shop, in Chapel's quarter, and is ready to do all kinds of umbrellas and store repairing. Umbrellas recovered, 65c.

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There will be something doing in Chester every minute during the Reunion and all time saved in making purchases can be spent in enjoyment. We offer you prompt service, honest goods at honest prices, and will accommodate you in every way possible.

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A new line of umbrellas just in. They are made of a fine material and selected to give better good service, and will last longer than many higher priced umbrellas. Our prices range from \$1.00 to \$3.50.

Shoes

We have one of the biggest lines of shoes in the city. They are made by the popular Brown Shoe Co. and are noted for their style, comfort and durability. Our prices will please you. Come in and let us tell you more about them.

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New and attractive styles and all this season's goods. We have them in both plain and fancy stripe pattern. Full line, of colors to select from. Prices 9c, 10c, and 12 1/2c the yard.

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We have a large stock to select from. The wearing qualities of these pants are unsurpassed and the service you get from them will cost you less than the service you get from pants selling elsewhere at a much higher price.

Shirts

The best wearing shirts made. Men of all occupations have tested the wearing quality of these goods and found them to be the best to be had for the money. They are the best that can be produced at the price.

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D. J. MACAULAY

